

SB 457 -- MISSOURI JUDICIAL CONFERENCE

SPONSOR: Caskey (Byrd)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass by consent" by the Committee on Judiciary by a vote of 18 to 0.

This bill amends the process for filling the vacancy of any unexpired term on the executive council of the judicial conference.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that this will allow the judicial conference to avoid vacancies on the council and operate more effectively.

Testifying for the bill were Senator Caskey; Missouri Judicial Conference; and Associate Circuit Judges Association.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

Julie Jinkens McNitt, Legislative Analyst